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AN ORDINANCE

CONCERNING PAVING ON CHESTNUT
STREET WITH COBBLE STONE.

THE Board of Aldermen of the city of
Wilmington, N. C., do
ORDAIN, That that portion of Chestnut
street, between the western line of Front
street and the river, be paved with cobble-
stone, and when the work shall have been
completed; the Mayor shall cause an assess-
ment of the real property along said street
and the vicinity thereof, to defray the ex-
pense of said pavement, in whole or in part,
as is provided by law.

All ordinances, or parts thereof, conflicting with the above ordinance—are hereby repealed.

The above ordinance was passed by the Board of Aldermen at their meeting, held on the night of January 2d, 1872.

T. C. SERVOS, City Clerk.

Jan 3-4 Journal and Star copy

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WILL BE OPEN THIS WEEK.
At No. 29, Market Street
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The subscribers have purchased a
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TO SUIT THE TIMES.

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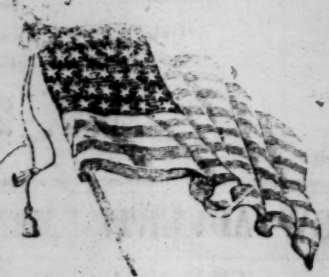
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TO THE EDITOR OF THE SUN.

SIR: Do you mean to say that thieves in office do not deserve to be decapitated? Please answer, for much depends on it. If you are silent, we know where you belong; and in the day of action your building will be remembered. We are terribly in earnest.

TWO OF THE COMMUNE.

Feb. 26, 1874.

The above letter was lately received at the office of the New York Sun. The prompt reply was that the *Sun* believed in the "decapitation" of thieves, and it is now supposed that Dana is all right on the goose.

Dr. Dio Lewis.

Conscientious editors and others speak disparagingly of Dr. Dio Lewis, who receives the sum of fifty dollars a night for his efforts in behalf of the temperance movement. The crusade may be ridiculous and indelicate, but none cannot deny that a reform is needed. Dr. Lewis is a gentleman of great scientific attainments, and considerable literary ability. His work is emphatically a work in the interests of humanity, although, after the thinking of some, it may be misdirected. The people who pay this sum are in all probability, the honest owners of the money; consequently their right to so dispose of it cannot be gainsaid.

When a singer can command the wonderful sum of four thousand dollars for the use of her vocal powers during an hour or so, the purchased critics can rhapsodize upon her, and the public greedily swallow the flattery. But when a profound thinker and scholar asks the modest price of fifty dollars for a lecture, these *dilletanti* are much shocked. Is it not a covert sneer at the work Dr. Lewis is engaged in, rather than at the man?

Dying Declarations as Evidence.

A woman lately murdered in Connecticut gave her dying testimony against a negro as the murderer. It was subsequently discovered the husband of the unfortunate creature had done the dreadful deed, and she, to shield him, had passed to eternity with a falsehood upon her lips.

The strength of that affection which survived her mortality can be somewhat estimated. Forgiving the miserable wretch who had cut her off in the midst of perhaps a vigorous and buoyant life, she circumstantially accounted for her death by accusing an innocent person. Faithful even in death, her last moments were engaged in considering how the effects of his crime could be averted from her slayer, her husband.

But is not in this aspect of the case that the public is most interested. By a rule of law the dying declarations of a person who believes that he is dying, are competent evidence against the person he charges with the crime. This is so, for the reason that the law holds that a person on the verge of eternity, will not willingly go before God with falsehood upon his soul. Hence the belief is that the dying have the same, or perhaps more powerful reasons for speaking the truth, than a sworn witness on the stand may have. These declarations go before a jury invested with all the solemnity which death can give, and the testimony which will controvert it must be much stronger than that brought against the evidence of an ordinary witness.

The worst scoundrels who take their final departure from this world by the way of the gallows, often, with a hardihood which the father of lies may admire, perish with falsehood upon their tongues. The fears which encreased death, when the rule of admitting dying declarations was made, are not so strong now. The spread of infidelity has gone far to divest death of some of his terrors. Sysphus, when death came as his visitor, cunningly made a chair which imprisoned his grim guest. For six months mankind was free from Death's rounds. The altars ceased to send up incense to the Gods, and crime and wickedness ran riot over the face of the earth.

This tale of Millus has a moral which applies at this day. People must be more thoroughly taught in religion, and the penalties which are incurred by sin, after death, more vividly portrayed, and a belief in them inculcated. Else, under the rule of law people may go to the gallows on the false evidence of a wretch, who, in death even, hopes for no heaven, and defies the terrors of hell.

EDITORIAL BUDGET.

A Californian sold his orange crop from five acres for \$15,000.

Michigan has abolished the striped clothing of convicts. Writing materials are to be supplied to prisoners, those who cannot read and write are to be taught, and every convict on his discharge is to receive a suit of clothes, \$10, and whatever he may have earned by extra work.

Lord Derby has intimated to the British politicians that he will not interfere with Mr. Disraeli's control, and will not attempt to usurp his place. Such, at least, is the interpretation given to a recent dinner speech, in which Lord Derby said: "I go in for fair play, and I think that those who fought the battle ought to enjoy the victory."

In the Legislature of Rhode Island the House special committee on women's suffrage submitted a majority report on Thursday, recommending the submission to the people of the following proposition as an amendment to the constitution: "Men and women, politically and legally, shall be entitled to equal rights and privileges and shall be subject to equal duties and liabilities."

In the German Reichstag a motion was under discussion on the 3rd instant to deprive the Governor of Alsace of the power to declare a state of siege. Bismarck made a strong speech against the motion. He declared he never expected Alsace would greet our institutions with applause. Alsace shared the responsibility of war. The motion was rejected by a vote of 188 yeas to 196 nays.

The following memorial has been presented to Congress in regard to irrigation by the discharge of artillery. Such theories can only be tested by experiment:

To the Honorable the House of Representatives of the United States:

Your petitioner two years ago presented to your honorable body a memorial setting forth certain facts going to show that the discharge of artillery in heavy batteries continued for a few hours will bring rain in large quantities, and asking that an experiment might be performed with powder and cannon of the United States to determine if draughts cannot in this way be prevented. He now renews his petition for such experiments, and begs leave to present some facts of a different kind from those before stated, which tend to add to the credibility of his theory.

In a work of that distinguished investigator of natural phenomena, the late M. F. Maury, it is claimed that the greater portion of the aqueous vapor that forms the rain that falls within the United States is brought about by atmospheric currents from the Pacific ocean. It is contended that the great south east trade wind of the Pacific, which meets the north east trade near the equator, after rising there, flows over that trade wind to the belt of calms near the Tropic of Cancer, where it descends, and becomes a great southwest rain bearing current across our continent; and that above this current is a great Polar current, flowing in nearly an opposite direction. The south east trade wind of the Pacific, which becomes thus a great vapor bearing current above the United States, extends from the surface of the ocean to the height, it is supposed, of about three miles. It moves over the ocean for about two thousand miles, and, with slight interruptions, blows perpetually. The amount of vapor which it takes up is inconceivably great: for it is calculated that as much water is evaporated from the ocean in a year as would be true that much of the vapor that rises from the ocean falls back into it again afterwards as rain, but the amount which is carried over the continents is immense, and vast quantities of it, transparent and invisible, must pass over the United States, to fall, afterwards, as rain or snow on the Atlantic Ocean, in Northern Europe, and in the Polar regions.

Now, the deductions of Maury in relation to winds and air currents, made from thousands of observations taken in all parts of the world, seem to be confirmed by the observations of the Signal Corps of the Army, for it is found that nearly all our principal storms come from the westward and southwestward, and this, as Maury shows, will be the course naturally taken by the air of the southeast trade wind when it becomes an atmospheric current in the northern hemisphere. The observations of aeronauts also add confirmation to his theory, for they declare that they have found an eastward current which they believe to be constant.

Your petitioner, therefore, respectfully represents that these facts give reason to believe that there are at all times vast quantities of aqueous vapor passing over us from the Pacific Ocean; that the existence of an extremely cold current above the vapor-bearing current gives reason to believe that the conditions necessary to produce rain in the manner in which we are taught by the Huttonian theory it usually is produced, are always present; and that the occurrence of heavy rains after battles gives reason to believe, not only that such conditions always exist, but that the process by which clouds and rain are formed from the invisible vapor can at any time be set in motion.

And your petitioner further represents that, while the observations of the Signal Corps show that on an average as many as nine storms traverse our country from west to east in a single month, these storms are yet so single-

equally distributed that some portions of the country suffer at times from terrible droughts, while others are drenched with excessive rains; and that, if it should be found that there is in the effects of heavy concussions such a power as to cause storm-centres to deviate from their natural courses, a system for distributing the rain-fall can be worked out, which, by leading to the prevention of forest fires and by adding to our agricultural resources, will be of inestimable value to the country.

EDWARD POWERS.

Simkins playfully remarked to his wife that he had four fools: Beautiful, dutiful, youthful, and delightful. "Poor me!" said she; "I have but one."

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

St. John's Lodge, No. 1 F. & A. M.

EMERGENCY communication this (Thursday) evening at 7½ o'clock, for work in the third degree.

By order of the W. M., JAMES C. MUNDY, Secy. St. John's Hall, March 5, 1864. -11

For Rent or Lease.

TWO of the most eligible building LOTS in Smithville, each fronting 60 feet on Bay Street and running back the whole square. They will be leased for five years or less, with the privilege of removing, at the end of the lease, any buildings which may be erected on them. Also three Water Lots, L. MEGINNEY, Executor, 246 2½

AN ORDINANCE

CONCERNING A "DONATION" TO THE "CAPE FEAR AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION" BY THE CITY OF WILMINGTON, N. C.

The Board of Aldermen of the City of Wilmington, N. C., and Direct as follows: Do ORDAIN, That an election be held on Monday, the twenty-third (23) day of March, 1874, in the different Wards of this City, at the respective places at which the polls for the election of Aldermen for the City of Wilmington are usually opened, for the purpose of ascertaining by a vote of the qualified voters residing in the City whether a donation of Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000) in City of Wilmington Bonds, face value, shall be made by the City to the Cape Fear Agricultural Association.

The above Ordinance was passed at a meeting of the Board of Aldermen held February 27th, 1874.

T. C. SERVOS, City Clerk and Treasurer, 1d

AT AUCTION!

A LARGE LOT OF

Iron Bedsteads,

AND OTHER

HOSPITAL FURNITURE

will be sold at Auction at City Hall on Monday, the 9th day of March, 1874, at 12 o'clock M.

W. F. CANADAY, Mayor.

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ACTUAL COST,

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For a very few days only, the opportunity will be offered, as we propose to close our

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MUNSON & CO'S,

City Clothiers.

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500 BUSHELS

WHITE CORN AT 75 CENTS.

Apply at AUCTION STORE,

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March 3-6t

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CELEBRATED PIANOS,

Chas. M. Stieff's Pianos,

Marshall & Smith's Pianos, and

Grove & Fuller's Pianos,

Sold for cash or by monthly installments, at

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MASON & HANLIN'S ORGANS,

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Always on hand, and for sale at

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THE BEST AND CHEAPEST MACHINE

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All sizes furnished to order, from 100 to 18,000 gallons per minute. Satisfaction guaranteed.

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F. FAIRBANKS, Agent.

240-24th

NOTICE.

MEMORANDUM after this date all parties are forbidden to enter the field, known as the Poor House field, or to trespass on the poor house land, or to hunt with gun or dogs on said tract.

H. E. SCOTT, Supt. Poor House.

Feb 28, 1874-1m

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. DURING THE GREAT PANIC

We have taken the advantage of buying all Goods which were offered

Cheap for Cash,

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French Woven Corsets worth \$1 50, we are selling for 75 cents.

GENUINE JOUVIN'S FRENCH KID GLOVES REALLY WORTH \$2 FOR 90 CENTS.

10-4 BLEACHED SHEETING FOR 40 CENTS A YARD, WORTH 50 CENTS.

Our general stock of

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We have the very best stock of

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We are also receiving a large assortment of

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Feb 21-1m

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Feb 8

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AND ALES always on hand. OYSTERS served every style. A respectful invitation is extended to all.

Feb 11-1m

GRAND GIFT CONCERT.

10,000 Prizes.

\$250,000 in Currency to be given away by the

Masonic Relief Association

OF NORFOLK, VA.

This drawing has been legalized by special act of the Legislature, to raise funds for the completion of the Masonic Temple in the city of Norfolk.

LIST OF GIFTS:

One Grand Cash Gift, \$50,000

One Grand Cash Gift, 22,000

One Grand Cash Gift, 12,500

One Grand Cash Gift, 10,000

One Grand Cash Gift, 5,000

One Grand Cash Gift, 2,500

24 Cash Gifts, \$500 each, \$12,000

50 Cash Gifts, 250 each, 12,500

80 Cash Gifts, 200 each, 16,000

100 Cash Gifts, 150 each, 15,000

120 Cash Gifts, 100 each, 12,000

500 Cash Gifts, 50 each, 25,000

9000 Cash Gifts, 5 each, 45,000

Grand Total, Ten Thousand Gifts, \$250,000

Whole Tickets, \$5.00

Half Tickets, \$2.50

11 Tickets \$50

22 Tickets \$100

Plan of drawing same as that of Kentucky State Library Association. Drawing to take place in Norfolk on Tuesday, May 2th 1874.

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Orders for tickets and all communications should be addressed to

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Jan 31-3m

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city from which Ladies may

obtain rare Bargains.

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Feb 16

The State of North Carolina,

SUPERIOR COURT, NEW HANOVER COUNTY.

WILLIAM H. MOORE

ANNA M. MOORE,

Petition for Divorce.

TO ANNA M. MOORE: You are commanded to appear at the next term of said Court, to be held at the Court House in Wilmington, on the eighth Monday after the fourth Monday in February, 1874, to answer the complaint of the said plaintiff. If you shall fail to appear at that time, the plaintiff will apply for the relief demanded in the complaint, together with the costs of this action. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, this 2d day of March, 1874.

J. C. MANN, Clerk of said Court.

ADAM EMPIE, Plaintiff's Attorney.

March 3-law6w

Singer's New Family Sewing Machine

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Soda and Whiskey	20 cents
Hot Scotch Whiskey Punch	25 cents
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158-1m
nov 19

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INKS OF ALL KINDS,
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For sale at
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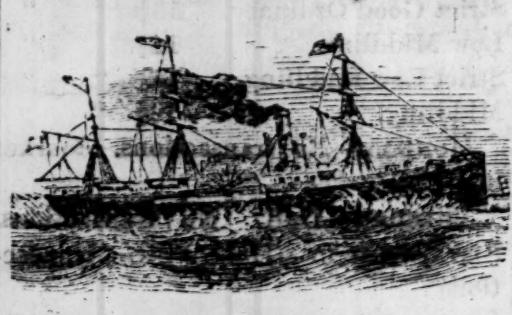
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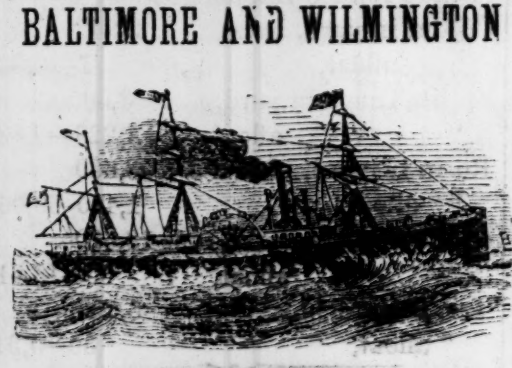
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To all points in North and South Carolina,
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Philadelphia.

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ANDRES & Co., Agents, Baltimore, Md.
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THE FIRST CLASS STEAMERS
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of England.

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points in North Carolina, South Carolina,
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Coffins and attendance at funerals fur-
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175 Boxes Smoked and D. S. Sides,
100 Barrels Pork,
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5,000 Bushels Oats,
For sale by
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Meals, furnished at all hours and House
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Table supplied with the best Baltimore and
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Oysters, when in season, of the best
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Office Treasurer and Collector,
City of Wilmington.

FEBRUARY 18th, 1874.

NOTICE TO OWNER OF ANY TRUCK,
DRAY, CART OR WAGON.

THE OWNER of any Truck, Dray, Cart, or
Wagon, used in this city, will send the same
to the Shop of JOHN A. PARKER, on Sec-
ond street, and have their

REGISTERED NUMBERS PAINTED
THEREON

before the first day of March, proximo, when
the Ordinance imposing a penalty will be
enforced. A list of the Registered numbers
will be furnished on application at this
office.

T. C. SERVOS, Treasurer.
feb 19 231-cod-1f

City of Wilmington,
MAYOR'S OFFICE,

FEBRUARY, 18th, 1874.

PROPOSALS will be received at this office
until March 15th, at 12 o'clock M., 1874, for
the paving of FRONT, between Orange and
Chestnut streets, with stone, what is known
as the Belgian Paving Block; city will do
grading. Plans and specifications can be
seen by applying at this office.
Bids to state size of blocks and price per
square yard,
W. P. CANADAY, Mayor,
feb 19 231-td

Fresh Sugar Cured
P I G H A M S, AT

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WE HAVE ON HAND A FULL
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Cloth Bala.

Ladies and Misses Sewed and Pegged
Pebble and Smooth Kid Bala, at
EVANS & VONGLAHLN'S.

We respectfully call attention to our
fine, hand sewed Calf Boots and Gait-
ers; also, hand sewed Tie Shoes, for
gentlemen, at
EVANS & VONGLAHLN'S.

Also, we call the attention of Boot
and Shoe Makers to a large lot of fine

FRENCH CALF SKINS,
Which we are selling at very low prices.
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New Crop Cuba, &c.

150 HHDS AND TIERCES NEW CROP
C U B A,
For sale by
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J. C. MANN
EDITOR & PROPRIETOR.

Published every evening, except Sun-
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The Post is designed to reach all
classes of citizens, and its subscription
price is therefore placed so low as to be
within the reach of all. It contains the

LATEST NEWS,
up to the time of going to press,
TELEGRAPHIC,
BY MAIL,
COMMERCIAL
AND LOCAL.

It should be in the hands of every man
who desires to know what has
transpired during the day,
and, as it aims to give

RELIABLE INTELLIGENCE,
its publisher hopes it will prove a wel-
come guest in many families.

THE POST

is sprightly without being sensational,
and it carefully excludes all objectionable
incidents and reports calculated to of-
fend the sensibilities of the most fastid-
ious. As an

Advertising Medium
it claims to be first class. It has a good
and constantly increasing circula-
tion, and is read by almost
every business man
in the city.

Politically the Post is
UNSWERVINGLY REPUBLICAN.

Its editor having been a consistent mem-
ber of that party since 1855, through
its vicissitudes and triumphs, he claims
to speak advisedly when advocating its
principles. He is not, however, an "extremist,"
and accords to others what he
claims for himself, the right of free
thought and of free speech.

THE ADVERTISING RATES of
the Post, like its subscription price, are
at liberal and at living prices, as ex-
amination of them will show, and it
despises a share of public patronage.

THE EVENING POST

is closely identified with the local wel-
fare of the Cape Fear region, and the
believers in progress, whether

EDUCATIONAL,
AGRICULTURAL,
MECHANICAL, or
COMMERCIAL,

will find an enthusiastic ally in THE
POST.

THE POST

is opposed to monopolies, but in favor
of internal improvements, and a firm
believer in the patronage and support
of home enterprises and institutions.
July 31 62-1f

Prospectus for 1874-Seventyfourth
THE ALDINE

An Illustrated Monthly Journal, univer-
sally admitted to be Handsomest Pe-
riodical in the World. A Rep-
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of American Taste.

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THE ALDINE while issued with all the
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timely interest characteristic of ordinary
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of the art of the day, and which, though
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cannot duplicate the quantity of fine paper
and engravings in any other shape or num-
ber of volumes for ten times its cost; and
then, there are the chromos, besides!

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won a world-wide reputation, and in the
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idly yielding to a more educated and dis-
criminating taste which recognizes the ad-
vantages of superior artistic quality and the
greater facility of production. The wood-
cuts of THE ALDINE possess all the deli-
cacy and elaboration of the most costly
steel plate, while they afford a better ren-
dering of the artist's original.

To fully realize the wonderful work which
THE ALDINE is doing for the cause of art
culture in America, it is only necessary to
consider the cost to the people of any other
decent representations of the productions of
great painters.

In addition to designs by the members of
the National Academy, and other noted
American artists, THE ALDINE will repro-
duce examples of the best foreign masters,
seen at a glance with a view to the highest
success and greatest general interest. Thus
the subscribers to THE ALDINE will at a
single glance, enjoy the pleasure and refine-
ment of the influence of true art. The
quarterly limited plates for 1874 will be
by Thomas Moran and J. D. Woodard.

The Christmas issue for 1874 will contain
special designs appropriate to the season,
by our best artists, and will surpass in attrac-
tion any of its predecessors.

PREMIUM FOR 1874.

Every subscriber to THE ALDINE for
the year 1874 will receive a pair of chromos.
The original pictures will be sent to the
publishers of THE ALDINE, by Thomas
Moran, whose great Colorado picture was
purchased by Congress for ten thousand dol-
lars. The subjects were chosen to represent
"The East" and "The West." One is a view
of the White House, and the other of the
other gives the Cliffs of Green River, Wyom-
ing Territory. The difference in the na-
ture of the scenes themselves in a pleasing
contrast, and affords a good display of the
artist's scope and coloring. The chromos
are each worked from thirty distinct plates,
and are of size 12 1/2 by 10 inches, and re-
act fac-similes of the originals. The presen-
tation of a worthy example of America's
great landscape painter to the subscribers
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happy idea, and its successful realization is
attested by the following testimonial, over
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Messrs. JAMES SUTTON & Co.,
Gentlemen,—I am delighted with the
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Very respectfully,
THOS. MORAN.

These chromos are in every sense American.
They are by an original American process,
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from designs of American scenery by an
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Journal. If no better because of all this they
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production can ever equal, and neither respect
nor any worse if by reason of peculiar
facilities of production they cost the publishers
a trifle more, and they are sold at a price
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did not cost, and will appreciate the enter-
prise that renders their distribution possible.
If any subscriber should find it indecent to
reference for a figure subject, the publishers
will send "Thoughts of Home," a new and
beautiful chromo, 12 1/2 by 10 inches, repre-
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For 50 Cents Extra, the chromos will be
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reasons which have already given it
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are briefly as follows:

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of the day will be found in it, condensed
and unimportant, and of the highest
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fully selected and legibly printed in its pa-
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partment.

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longing to no party and having no color.
It fights for principle, and for the election
of the best men to office. It especially de-
votes its energies to the exposure of the
great corruptions that now weaken and dis-
grace our country and threaten to under-
mine republican institutions altogether. It
has no fear of enemies, and no partiality
for its supporters.

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the markets for the most popular and de-
sirable markets, to which it pays particular at-
tention.

Finally, it is the cheapest paper published.
One dollar a year will secure it for any sub-
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in order to have it for less than the retail
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Special attention is paid—besides that given
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